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Examiner : Ula C. Ruddock  
Art Unit : 1771  
Docket No.: 11728/3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : T. MATSUI et al.  
Serial No. : 09/980,701  
Filed : November 2, 2001  
For : THERMALLY INSULATING MATERIAL HAVING EXCELLENT DURABILITY  
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF, AND USE THEREOF AND  
METHOD FOR EXECUTION THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment/Response in the  
above-identified patent application.

[X] No additional fee is required.

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SMALL ENTITY										OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY			
CLAIMS		HIGHEST NO.				RATE		ADDIT. <u>OR</u>		RATE		ADDIT.	
REMAINING		PREVIOUSLY		PRESENT				FEE				FEE	
AFTER		PAID FOR				EXTRA							
<u>AMENDMENT</u>													
TOTAL	11	MINUS	20	=	0	x6=	\$		x18 =	\$		0.00	
INDEP.	1	MINUS	3	=	0	x18=	\$		x84 =	\$		0.00	
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE						x60=	\$		x280=	\$		0.00	
DEP. CLAIM						TOTAL							
						ADDIT. FEE	\$		OR	\$		0.00	

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116**

SIR:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 31, 2003. Entry of the present amendment and reconsideration of the above-identified patent application, as amended, is respectfully requested.